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Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: PS Docket Nos. 11-153 and 10-255

Piedmont Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc. Petition for Waiver of Section

20.18(n)(7)

Withdrawal of Petition for Waiver

Dear Ms Dortch:

On September 27, 2013, Piedmont Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc. (collectively "Piedmont"), filed a Petition for Waiver ("Petition") of section 20.18(n)(7) of the Commission's rules.¹ The relief sought by Piedmont in its Petition has been addressed by the Commission in the Order on Reconsideration released on September 30, 2013,² in the above-referenced dockets. Therefore, Piedmont hereby withdraws the Petition from further Commission consideration.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Facilitating the Deployment of Text-to-911 and Other Next Generation 911 Applications; Framework for Next Generation 911 Deployment, Piedmont Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc. Petition for Waiver, PS Docket Nos. 11-153 and 10-255 (filed Sept. 27, 2013).

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Respectfully submitted,

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